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The reporting requirements imposed by OMB Bulletin 87-10 do not apply to the Central Intelligence Agency.

ADP and telecommunication activities defined in 44 USC 3502 and 10 USC 2315 are excluded -- these sections include references to "intelligence activities," a euphemism that encompasses everything that the CIA does.

Reporting requirements are also levied upon agencies by name in the Bulletin. The CIA is not included in the list.

The CIA may be subject to a requirement "to establish appropriate information technology strategic planning processes," the exclusion for "intelligence activities" notwithstanding. It can be shown that such processes have already been instituted.

Presumably, the Executive Secretariat realized that no action is required because only INFO addressees are marked on the routing slip.

The reports solicited by this Bulletin serve as input to the "Five Year Plan for Meeting the ADP and Telecommunications Needs of the Federal Government." I have a copy of the 1985 report, if you're interested.

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